# DANIELSON AND PUTNAM NEWS.

### DANIELSON

Lleutenant Andruss Giving Military Instructions-Leclaire Memorial Decided Upon-Funeral Services

Rawley Carpenter of Hartford was in Danielson Tuesday.
Edward Bacon, instructor in music at Mercersberg academy, Mercersberg, as spending several days at his home in Danielson.

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Mrs Charles Domingue of Woonsecket was the guest of relatives in Danielson Tuesday.

Lieut, H. P. Andruss of the New London artillery district is the officer in charge of the instructions being given for the officers and non-commissioned officers of the Thirteenth company, C. A. C., this week,

Frederick E. Bitgood was in Boston on a business trip Tuesday,

Miss Greta Cyr is visiting Danielson relatives this week.

Newton Phillips, well known

Newton Phillips, well known throughout this part of the state, is critically ill at his home near Alexander's lake, Lewis G. Curtis of New London was

Lewis G. Curris of New London was in Danielson Tuesday. Mrs. Charles L. Nado is spending this week at the home of her par-ents. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Allard, in Unclaimed Letters.

Letters addressed as follows are un-

claimed at the Danielson postoffice this week: Mrs. Maria E. Daggett, Miss Irene Dowding, Miss Eva Lafre-niere, Mrs. Jounnaitts Youngs OBITUARY.

Mrs. Rebecca Roden. Mrs. F. W. Darmer received announcement Tuesday morning of the death in New York Monday of her mother Mrs. Rebecca Roden, 80, who lived for several years with Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Darmer in Danielson.

Mrs. Catherine H. Plass. Mrs. Catherine Harris Plass, Sé, died at her home on Riverview Tuesday morning after a long illness. Mrs. Plass was one of the oldest résidents of Danielson. Mrs. Arthur G. Bill is a niece of the deceased. Mrs. Plass was a twin sister of Mrs. Emeline Tourtellotte, who survives her. They have been residents of Danielson about six years, coming here from Napa, Cal.

## FUNERAL.

Mrs. Annie C. Collins, Funeral services for Mrs. Annie Carpenter Collins were held in Wood's undertaking rooms Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. Ealph S. Cushman pastor of the Methodist church, officiating, assisted by Rev. Clarence Barber, pastor of the Westfield Congregational church. The services were simple and impressive. The bearers were Erederick O. Armineton Judge. were Frederick O. Armington, Judge Oliver E. Getty, Herbert Chase and Clarence Bacon. Burial was in West-field cemetery. A. F. Wood was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

## LECLAIRE MEMORIAL

#### To Be of Westerly Granite-Space for Bronze Tablet Reserved.

The order for the memorial to be erected in St. James' cometery to Dr. Charles J. Leclairs has been placed with a local firm and it is hoped to have it in place some time during May,

The design selected is an excep-

The design selected is an exceptionally desirable one, its massive outline being particularly striking. The memorial, while not over adorned, will be conservatively ornate. It is to be of selected Westerly granite. At one side a space will be reserved for affixing a bronze tablet to bear an inscription yet to be decided upon. The fund for the erection of the memorial has been created through the efforts of the members of fraternal organizations with which Dr. Leclaire was actively contilled and subscriptions have some in from various parts of New Engin from various parts of New Eng-

Committee for Y. M. C. A. Social. Mrs George O. Thomas, Mrs. Charles
Hyde, Mrs. William Martin, Mrs.
Frederick Kennedy Miss Lucy Young,
Miss Carrie Fellows, Miss Georgia.
Burroughs and Miss Myrtis Marland
are members of a committee that will
have an active part in making a success of the monthly social for the
members of the Y. M. C. A. this (Wednesday) evening.

One of the largest funeral congregations seen at St. James' church was gations seen at St. James' church was present Tuesday morning at the solemn high requiem mass for Mrs. Henry Garcau of the West Side. Relatives and friends gathered from many towns and cities, and the impresent of the was conducted amid an assemblage deeply sympathetic, Rev. Celestin Crozet was celebrant, Rev. U. O. Bellerose of Wauregan deacon, and Rev. Peter Roux sub-deacon of the mass. The mass was sung by J. J. Brennan. The floral tributes were in great number and of surpassing beauty, the remembrances of relatives and great number and of surpassing beau-ty, the remembrances of relatives and friends in Danielson and elsewhere. The bearers were six brothers of the deceased—Fortunat Chartier, Waure-gan; Venerand, Boston; Lucien, Cen-tral Falis; Joseph, Danielson; Lucien, Danielson; Victorien, Danielson, Rur-ial was in St. James' cemetery. Louis E. Kennedy was the funeral director in charge.

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Among those present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Besette of Versailles; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bessette of Wauregan; Miss Alice Pigeon, Willimantic; Ernest Dupuis, Mossup; Mrs. Lucien Archambeault, Miss Donalda Archambeault, Centerville, R. I.; Mrs. Clara Cote, Mrs. Alphonse Kirowac, New Bedford; Mrs. Moses Goyette, Mrs. Rosalie Noyes, Haverhill, Miss Victoria Bolduc, Fall River; Mrs. Charles Domingue, Mrs. Philip Sylvestre, Woonsocket; Miss Exilda Marshall, Waterbury; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chartler, bury; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chartler, Central Falls; Miss Clara Dore, Wau-regan; Miss Greta Cyr. Providence; Mrs. Joseph Allard, Miss Loretta Al-

socket; Miss Exilia Marshal, Waterbury; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chartler, Central Falls; Miss Clara Dore, Waterbury; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chartler, Central Falls; Miss Clara Dore, Waterbury; Mr. and Mrs. Cyprovidence; Mrs. Joseph Allard, Miss Loretta Allard, Putnam.

The floral vieces included: Carnation spray, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Garesu; Illy wreath, Mr. and Mrs. G. Brunell, Webster; floral spray, Mr. and Mrs. G. Brunell, Webster; floral spray, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. James; calla spray (34 in number), members of family; rose wreath Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Benjot, Worcester; roses and carnations, Mrs. Georgiana Godreau; floral piece, class of 1916, Rhode Island college of pharmacy, Providence; carnation spray, Mr and Mrs. E. E. Dupuls, Moosu; baskets of roses, carnations and ferns, Miss Lucy Fournier, Miss E. M. Chapman, Miss Margaret C. Sullivan; carnations spray, Miss Emma A. Stone; anchor of Illies, carnations and roses, Miss Marla Delorge, Ell Perry, William Forand, Webster; carnation spray, Mrs. C. L. and Miss E. F. Daretting after the business seems and summer computed and the spray bouquet of red and white roses. The Church Co.; lifty spray, Mr. C. L. and Miss E. F. Daretting after the business seems of the afternoon was thoroughly engaged and society of the afternoon was thoroughly engaged and society of the meeting of Eliza Porter Putnam chapter, D. A. R. was held in the chapter rosoms in Pomfret street, the putnam chapter, D. A. R. was held in the chapter rosoms in Pomfret street, Mrs. S. M. Weblock, presided, Mrs. J. B. R. Mellock, Mrs. J. B. R. Mellock, presided, Mrs. Mellock, presided, Mrs. Mellock, presided, Mrs. Mellock,

34 pink carnations, Miss A. F. Logee; pink carnation crown, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bosquet, Jr.; rose wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cyr; bouquet of red, pink and white carnations, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Jacobs; upright spray of lilies, roses, tullps and sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Chartier; jonquils, Miss Darbie; carnation spray, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Morin; spray of roses, Frank Littlefield, Boston.

## PUTNAM

Sybil Parker Given State Prison Sentence for Infanticide-Charles Jackson Gets Off With Jail Sentence Harris Seder's Death-D. A. R. Meeting.

Miss Helen Kirchgessner of Boston is a guest of Mrs. G. A. Hammond of Oak Hill.

Miss Margaret McDougal is seriously ill at the Day-Kimball hospital.

C. M. Smith of Scotland was in Purpay Tuesday. Putnam Tuesday.

Henry A. Witherspoon of Rochdale,
Mass., called on Putnam friends on

Bungalow on Oak Hill.

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Lorenzo Williams, who has made his home at the Putnam inn the past few years, is building a bungalow on the finest viewpoint of North Oak hill. This section seems destined to ultimately become one of the most popular residential sections of the city.

Mrs. Charles T. Thayer has been ill for the past few days with the grip at her home on Chapman street.

Mrs. Byron Morse was slightly burned about the face when she opened the door of a gas range, while attending a meeting of the D. A. R. Monday afternoon.

Sold Child Homestead. Mrs. George W. Child of East Wood-stock has sold the old homestead at that place and will make her home in Putnam in the house of Mrs. Hiram N. Brown at Bellevue.

Eggs 26c a Dozen, Eggs were quoted at twenty-six cents a dozen in Putnam Tuesday. This price was for strictly fresh eggs, which brought a ready sale.

Unclaimed Letters. Letters addressed as follows re-main unclaimed at the Putnam post-office: Miss Rosa Bourgeois, Miss main unclaimed at the Pulnam postoffice: Miss Rosa Bourgeois, Miss
Eva Kolosh, Mrs. Stanley Joseph
Creece, Joseph Laberge and Son.
A steam sawmill is being operated
on the large woodlot of ex-Representative William H. Hammond, near
Hammond's bridge.

Wreck Between Worcester

Springfield. Because of a wreck between Wor-ester and Springfield trains from that cester and Springfield trains from that division east and west bound were sent through this city Tuesday afternoon. On account of the heavy grades an extra locomotive from Putnam was sent to help the westbound trains between this city and Hampton.

Members of the outside force of the Southern New England telephone company will go to Eastford from Putnam this morning to do repair work. nam this morning to do repair work and install lighting arresters at the stations of the company.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

### Sybil Parker Sentenced to Prison-Jail for Charles Jackson.

Sybil Parker, colored, of Willimantic pleaded guilty to mansiaughter when presented before Judge Gager in the superior court in this city Tuesday morning and was sentenced to serve not more than five nor less than ten years in the state prison. The crime was committed a few months ago in Willimantic, where she was employed in a private family as a servant, she having put to death her newborn child and afterwards concealed the body in the cellar. Attorney Samuel body in the cellar. Attorney Samuel Harvey represented the defendant. There was no trial of the case, which has been of peculiar interest through-out Windham county. Charles Jackson of Woodstock.

charged with breaking and entering a barn in Hampton, was also sen-tenced at Tuesday's session. Judge Gager imposing a sentence of four months in jall. Attorney Arthur G. Bill of Danielson was appointed by the court as counsel for Jackson. These criminal cases will probably be the last to be considered during the present term of court in Putnam. Girard Case Unfinished.

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The case of Ferdinand Girard vs. the Grosevonroale company occupied the attention of the court for the remainder of conducting moving picture theaters in this part of the state. In Mosup recently one show was ordered closed until a neglected regulation had been complied with. The two picture theaters in Danielson have fitted and are operating their places in compliance with all the requirements of the law.

MRS. HENRY GAREAU'S FUNERAL Attended by Mourners from Many Towns—Six Brothers Were Bearers.

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### OBITUARY. Harris Seder.

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A Worcester paper of Tuesday had the following notice of the death of Harris Seder of Worcester, father of Charles Seder of this city:
Harris Seder, aged 64 years, prominent among the Hebrews, died of heart disease at his home, 11 Ledge street, yesterday afternoon, at 1.10 o'clock, after an illness of ten days. His family was at his bedside when death came. He had lived in Worcester about 12 years, coming here from Russia. He was a member of the congregation Shaarai Thorah, 32 Providence street,

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Mr. Seder is survived by his wife,
five sons, Joseph S. Seder of S. Seder
& Bro., shirtwaist manufacturers, 20
Hygeia street; Isaac E. Seder, New
York; Samuel Seder, of S. Seder &
Bros.; Charles Seder, Putnam, and
Jacob Seder, and three daughters, Mrs,
Louis Witkind, Miss Sophie Seder and
Miss Rosa M. Seder.

The funeral will be this afternoon
at 12 o'clock from his home, Burial
will be in the Hebrew cemetery at
Jamesville under the direction of Undertaker Bernard Isenberg,

## D. A. R. CHAPTER.

Social Hour Follows Valuable and Interesting Historical and Other Pa-

known to have stopped; the Samuel Converse tavern, built in 1710, known at present as the Winthrop Ballard place; the John Bixby house, which dates back to 1719; the Mary Lee home, 1750; Captain John Sabin's tayern, 1720; John Dexter's, 1812, and a most interesting account of the history of the Thompson common and the old tavern opposite the common. In Current Events Mrs. J. B. Kent's paper, which are always of interest, the topic of Forestry has gradually merged into the popular topic of conservation of the natural resources of the country, beginning at the very starting of the movement, which was taken up by the government in May, 1908, and working up through the different stages of conservation. The paper given under Current Events and The Woodland Treasures, at each meeting this year are looked forward to with interest by the chapter members.

bers.

Mrs. F. J. Daniels, in Woodland
Treasures, spoke intelligently upon the
elm, maple, birch and poplar trees,
the collection of photographs of trees
taken in the vicinity of the city on exhibition, which were loaned by G. E.
Dresser, were beautiful enough to appear in magazines of country life as
page pictures, also artist's drawings
of the late Mr. Danielson's pictures,
loaned by the stafe librarian.

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The chapter room was decorated with boughs and branches of the trees discussed and a ghost bouquet composed of the ghosts of woodland treasures attracted much attention. The hostesses served ices in keep-ing with St. Patrick's week, with as-sorted cakes. Shamrocks were the fa-vors of the afternoon. The hostesses were Mrs. W. H. Mansfield, Mrs. J. Nikoloff Mrs. L. E. Payne, Mrs. F. D. Sargent, Mrs. C. H. Chesbro, Mrs. F. E. Clarke, Mrs. H. C. Keach

H. Chesbro, Mrs. F. H. C. Keach, Mr. and Mrs. G. Harold Gilpatric Mr. Boston Tuesday. were in Boston Tuesday.

May Form Conclave in Danielson.

At the special meeting of the Pages of Arthur held in the Congregational castle room Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. John Paine and Miss Danielson of Danielson witnessed the work of the pages with a view of forming a conclave in Danielson. Initiation took place at this meeting of one or more new members. Mrs. F. J. Daniels is the most worthy queen of this active conclave, in which the interest of the boys is never lost, owing to Mrs. Dan-iels always having something new as we'll as instructive and helpful to at-

Various Notes. Mrs. Herbert Keach of Dayville has een the guest of local relatives. Mrs. Frank Guild of Windham was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Edgar Clarke, on Tuesday, Henry Wheelock was in Boston on

Tuesday.

A meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the Second Congregational church was held at the home of Mrs. George Baker Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock. Interesting papers were read upon the topic of Passing of the Sage Brush of the Sage Brush. The boys' and men's gymnasium classes met in the Congregational gymnasium Tuesday evening.

## STONINGTON

Wedding Invitations-Gilbert McKeel's Death-Mission at St. Mary's.

Invitations have been received in Palmer of New York to the marriage of their daughter, Dorothy and Alfred John Chatillor, which will take place at the Waldorf-Astoria, April 4th. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer and Miss Palmer are numbered among the summer colony here.

Death of Gilbert McKeel. Gilbert McKeel a former resident of Stonington died in New York, Thurs-day. The body was brought to Ston-ington for burial in the family plot.

Rev. P. H. McClean Preaches. A mission is being held every day this week in St. Mary's church on Monday evening. Father McClean spoke impressively on purgatory and he dwelt upon the punishments of mortal as very great and the reward his evenin he subject will be "Judgment." A large congregation filled the church during the service. Mrs. Frank Stanton rendered most artistically a solo which showed her finely cultivated voice at its best.

Travel Club Meets. Tuesday afternoon the Travel club met at the Free library at 4 p. m. Mrs. John Wagner and Miss Ira Pal-mer spoke most entertainingly. A large number attended and many views

were displayed,
Andrew Johnson, foreman of this
section of the railroad has finished
work of crossing planking and renewing the crossings on Water street
hear the Watch Hill wharf.

Mystic Man's Purchase. George W. Packer of Mystic has surchased the deer house which was built two years ago, located in the large meadow in front of the summer home of Hon. Erskine M. Phelps of Chicago on the North road. The buildings are cared for by Andrew W. Perry and the building is being taken down in sections and being carted to Mystic

Barn and Contents Burned. A large barn used for storing, owned by Manuel Perry and who owns the Sylvia farm just north of the borough was burned Sunday with Its contents, 10 tons of hay and fodder, a loss of \$350. Mr. Perry saw smoke issuing from the barn about 2 p. m., and upon investigation found it a roaring mass of flames. How it started he is at a loss to know.

A large mooring buoy 13 feet long A large mooring buoy 13 feet long and owned by N. A. Pendleton, has been stolen from the boat yard of S. H. Chesebro at the foot of Church

treet, where he had his pleasure boat Sixty lobster pots have been purchased by Manuel Henry in Noank.
Mr. Henry is getting in readiness for spring fishing.
The steamer Annie L. Wilcox came into the barbor Monday with a cargo of phosphate for eastern parties.

James Glimore of Nashua, N. H., is the guest of friends.

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Martin Leider of Boston is here to-

## Poor "Bob White."

From many quarters come reports of the finding of quail coveys huddled From many quarters come reports of the finding of quail coveys huddled in fence corners and other poor shelters, frozen to death when weakened by lack of food. They have perished because the snow was too deep and lasted too long to enable them to find their usual winter sustenance, never more than meager. This is a result of severe weather which must sadden lovers of nature, for the plump, cheery little "Bob White" is one game bird that thrives on man's cultivation of the soil and man's occupation of the soil and man's occupation of the country. The territory in which quail live, in North America, has widened greatly with the coming of the white man's plow and his grain fields.

The forests never did appeal to the most popular of American game birds. Quail shun the deep woods. They flourish in fields and orchards often close to the barns and houses of the farmers. The white man's way of using the earth makes it easier for "Bob White" to find food, and that is the vital question with birds. Heat and cold are secondary, if they can get enough to eat. Some farmers have taken pains to feed the quail on their premises in winter. They will be giad, all through the spring and summer and fall, when they hear and see the cheery little beneficiaries of their kindnesses.—Cleveland Leader.

## MYSTIC

Big Crowd at Auction—Mill Contract Awarded—Meeting of Monday Club.

One of the largest crowds of men since the launching of the Jennie Dubois at West Mystic, gathered at the West Mystic Manufacturing company to attend the auction which began on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock with George A. Fendicton auctioneer, Business men from Providence, New York, Boston, Stamford and Bridgeport, besides many from the surrounding towns, purchased machinery, engines, and boats at any and all prices. What will be done with the buildings remain to be seen. In all probability they will be used by some concern for a manufacturing place.

Mrs. Joseph Newbury is critically ill.

Harry Wheeler of Providence was in town Tuesday.

Everett Nash of Watch Hill is the great of Mr. and Mrs. James Hempstead.

Fellowship Meeting The next fellowship meeting of the churches in this district will be held in the Pawcatuck church on Wednesday, March 23; this district includes the Mystle, Stonington, Ledyard, Road church, North Stonington and Pawcatuck

tuck churches, Mrs. A. T. Moorhead is in New York.

John Mailory has returned to Pitts-burg after a visit with his aunt, Miss Lizzie Mallory.

New Flag Arrives.

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The new flagpole for the Broadway high school, of which County Commissioner B. F. Williams and Clinton Allen were a committee, has been placed in position in front of the school building. The pole is 65 feet above the ground and the work of placing it in position was done by George D. Johnson and assistants of the local S. N. E. telephone company.

The Monday club met with Mrs. Daniel B. Denison on Pearl street and an unusually large attendance was present. The programme was as follows: Perugino, Mrs. Charles R. Geer; Rafaello, Mrs. A. O. Colby: Benevenuto, Mrs. G. H. Minor; current events, Miss Sarah Denison.

Mrs. Robert Chapman and family have returned from a visit with her parents in Westerly.

Clarence Gracey, conductor on the G. S. S. P. D. is taking a few days' va-

Clarence Gracey, conductor on the G. & S. R. R., is taking a few days' vacation.

Contract Awarded.

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The contract for the completing of the Royal Linen mills was awarded at a directors' meeting held in Providence Monday to A. Menard of Providence. Work will be commenced on Monday and it is hoped to have it in operation in three or four weeks.

A team with Daniel Coast and James McDonough ran into the eight o'clock trolley at the entrance to Brunell's stable on Monday night, throwing the occupants to the ground, but without serious injury. One window of the car was broken out and the team was demoralized.

James Heavey of Kingston, N. Y., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Ann Heavey.

Alian Lamb of Willimantic and Nelson Lamb of Bridgeport are the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. H.

Miss Bertha Haynes has returned Miss Bertha Haynes has returned from New York.
Byron Billings of East Lyme is spending a few days in town.
Miss Iva Paton, who has been ill for the past six months, was reported to be in a critical condition Tuesday.
Mrs. S. S. Brown has sold a lot on Denison avenue to Robert Nichols, who intends erecting a house on it.

Trying to Keep Him Out,

It appears that New York has not paid for the key of the city presented to Dr. Cook. Possibly the money had to be diverted to changing the lock of the city.—Philadelphia Ledger.

What's the Use? Gertrude Atherton says American men have no subtlety. It appears to be absolutely impossible to please Ger-trude.—Chicago Record-Herald.

WALK-OVER SHOES

We've framed up a plan to please a lot of our

old customers-and make a bunch

of new ones this Spring.

coat line the strongest of any in this section.

we can sell with confidence, the kind you

enables us to offer you these values at

can wear with satisfaction.

Fifteen Dollars.

Cyr Building,

Blues, Dark Mixtures.

never made money easier.

We have made our \$15 Suit and Over-

We take no chances - buy no doubtful

We select only the good kinds—the kind

The buying power of our three stores

All the new styles and fabrics-Greys,

Anyway, it's worth a trial - you've

Danielson, Conn.

THE CHURCH COMPANY.

## NOANK

Funeral of James Patterson—Car of Cotton Starts Fairy Tales—News in

The funeral of James Patterson was held from his residence on High street Tuesday. Mr. Patterson was born in St. Martin's, N. B., on March 17, 1845, the son of William and Martha Springstead Patterson. Mr. Patterson has made Noank his residence for many years and since first coming to the village has been employed at the Robert Paimer & Son shipyard, where he was deemed one of their most efficient workmen. He is survived by his wife, one son and daughter. Rev. H. B. Rankin of the Noank Baptist church, of which the deceased was a member, conducted the funeral services, Burial was at the Noank valley cemetery. The bearers were nephews of the deceased: Robert Patterson, Samuel B. Patterson, William A. Patterson, Chester A. Frink, William Fatterson of New London and Charles Cox of Noank.

Cotton Factory a Dream.

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A report was in circulation in the village yesterday to the effect that land had been purchased here and that a large cotton manufacturing company would build a factory here; also that the first carload of cotton had arrived at the local station. There was a car of cotton at the station in trusit from Willimantic, consigned to Westerly mills, which was switched off at Noank on account of the condition of the car, which was damaged to such an extent that it was necessary to transfer the cotton to another, which operation was performed by Section Foreman John Sears and force of men.

Noank Packing Co. Not Sold. The report that the business of the Noank Packing company, a purchas-ing agency for the firm of Caleb Ha-

ley & Co., Fulton market, has been sold, is unfounded. The land on which the buildings of the company stand is owned by E. A. Potter. Warren C. Perkins, who is the marager of the business here, is at present in the southern states in the interest of the Haley company, and has ordered his cars put in readiness for use upon his return on May 1.

#### Heard on the Avenue.

Capt. C. M. Clarke, junior member of the local firm of Palmer Clark & Co., arrived in the village yesterday from New Brunswick, where he has spent the winter with his family. Fishing sloop Louise, Capt. Fred Fitch, arrived in port from the fishing grounds yesterday with a large fare of fish.

C. T. Potter of Norwich was a caller on friends in the village Tuesday.

day. Frank B. Gooch of Boston was here Tuesday. Charles Hadley, Jr., has returned home after a visit with friends in Bos-

Mrs. B. L. Mull will leave for Hartford today, where she will join her husband, who is employed in the au-tomobile business.

#### A Moari Speaks.

I wished to become a doctor, but my father, realizing too late the fate to which his marriage had condemned his sons, would not hear of such a profession for me, for he could not trust me. So, with ample means, I trust me. So, with ample means, I travel for, say two years, during which my white side is in evidence. I am a cultured gentleman, refined in thought and action. I return to New Zealand, drawn by that home-hunger to which every man of color is subject. A wedding, a funeral occurs amongst my mother's people; the Maori in me is in honors bound to attend. A feast, a dance, a tagi, a warcry—down goes culture and the white beneath a savagedom bearing all the vices of civilization to add to its horrors. Afterwards, satiated, debauched, I crawl back to respectability through agonies of self-contempt and remorse. No, I will be father of no children to endure such torture as this eternal struggle between my two selves.

## BALTIC

Death of Isidore Caron Aged 87-Mrs. Daniel Webster's Death Follows Brief

Isidore Caron who has been in failing health for the past year died at his home on High street Monday afternoon aged 87. He was one of the oldest and most respected residents of Baltic, having made his home here for the past forty years. During his early days he served his time as a shipbullder and followed the sea for a number of years. He is survived by his wife who is 84 years old and by his wife who is 84 years old and by his wife who is 84 years old and by his ehildren, six sons, Octave, Affred, Paul and Edward of Moosup, Nos Caron of Baltic, Isidore of Fall River, and by three daughters, Mrs. Victor Lheureux, Jewett City, Mrs. Noe Frechette of Taftville, Mrs. Louis Joubert of Baltic, He leaves 182 grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren. His wife, Mrs. Caron is in feeble health.

Death of Mrs. Daniel Webster.

Death of Mrs. Daniel Webster. Mrs. Daniel Webster who had been ill only a week with picurisy died Tusa-day morning at her home on Depot Hill. Her husband and four children survive her.

## Personal Menties

Miss Mary Brosnan of Stafford Springs was the guest of Miss Josie Brennan over Sunday. George Buteau of New York was the guest of his father, George Buteau over Sunday.

## YANTIC HAPPENINGS.

C. B. Davis Underwent Operation-Chimney Fires-Personals.

Kite flying is the chief diversion of the school children now after hours, and many of their elders are joining

and many of their elders are joining them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rainsford and children of Norwich were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ephriham Larkin.

Several chimney fires have occurred around here recently.

George Sherman spent Sunday with relatives in Milltown.

Charles Davis, son of Selectman C. B. Davis of Smith's Corners, who underwent a serious operation in the Backus hospital. Friday, is resting very comfortably.

Miss Stella Eldridge of New London was a recent guest of Miss Helen Mc-Hale.

Criticism of Public Men. Criticism of Public Men.

No one who has given any candid attention to the subject will question that the men in congress, at the head of the departments and on the bench, are as a whole more than fairly representative of the average character and ability of the people. They are above the average or they would not as a rule be selected. Any one who has been brought into contact with them to any considerable extent knows that taken throughout they are a body of upright, conscientious, patriotic, well-meaning men, intending to do within limitations what they think best for the country.

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As a matter of fact, however, those chosen are good representatives, but no sooner are they in their seats than a hue and cry of depreciation and criticism begins, against congress especially. It is seen in the press, and especially in reform journals and magnazines, the writers of whose articles one must suppose from their tone are so superior mentally and morally to the sugjects of their animadversions that they belong to a distinct and higher race. Were they but in the place of the miserable incompetents, most of whose characters and motives are at least open to suspicion, how vastly better off the country would be. The same sort of thing is heard among business men who ought to know better and really do it they stopped to business men who ought to know better, and really do, if they stopped to think; it is also current in fashionable drawing rooms among their more—itless and ignorant habitues.—Cincinenati Enquirer.

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